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LOCAL BREVITIES.

Thanksgiving a week from to-day.

Tuesday was the coldest night of the season—fifteen degrees above zero.

Bishop Tuttle will hold services at the Episcopal church to-night. All are invited.

An average of forty-five trains are passing over the road every twenty-four hours these days.

Mr. Cameron, an employee at the Clark hub factory, had an arm fractured while at work Tuesday.

Lost—A scar-faced, white Bull Terrier. Return to Mr. A. F. Bond, Ironton, and receive suitable reward.

Union service on Thanksgiving day will be held at the M. E. Church, Ironton, at 11 o'clock A. M. All are invited.

Mr. Moore writes entertainingly and instructively of his trip to Wyoming. The REGISTER hopes to hear from him again.

The Arcadia Valley W. C. T. U. meets at the residence of Mrs. Rosie Hodges next Saturday, November 20th, at 3 P. M.

The reader who "skips" Judge Russell's letter this week misses a good thing. All the letters are good; this number especially.

A few cars of iron ore are being shipped from the Knob these days. Most of them go to the furnaces in the vicinity of East St. Louis.

FOR RENT—Lower floor in I. O. O. F. Hall, Ironton. One of the best business locations in town. Apply to Geo. Schultz, John Albert, or T. B. Pruitt.

The curfew ordinance is now in force. The city authorities have made arrangements with the Clark hub factory to blow the big whistle at 8:30 o'clock in the evening, and after the sound is heard representatives of the rising generation are no longer to be seen on the streets.

Following are the signal service readings at this point for the week ending Nov. 16th, showing the highest and lowest temperature recorded each day: Nov. 10th, 63, 26; 11th, 55, 38; 12th, 62, 24; 13th, 67, 36; 14th, 73, 52; 15th, 73, 58; 16th, 15, 28. Rain-fall for the week, .23.

The young men of the Valley will give a Social Dance at the Academy of Music at Ironton, Mo., Thanksgiving eve—Wednesday, November 24th, 1897. Invitations will be issued.

Music by Prof. D. M. McKinnis, R. Holman and H. Davis. Tickets, including supper, per couple, \$1.25.

One or more diamond drills will soon be put to work in the south end of the county. The promoters are chiefly St. Louis parties who seem to be confident of finding lead and lots of it. We certainly hope they will not be disappointed. Most of the drilling will be done between Annapolis and Des Arc.

The individual who went around town last week endeavoring to raise a bonus for the proposed sash and door factory met with little encouragement. People who helped pay a bonus to the woolen mill of unvarying memory, and have nothing to show for it, and workmen upon that structure who are still mourning labor's loss, are a little shy of subscription lists.

S. E. De Haven, formerly teacher at Pilot Knob and well known to many of our readers, writes to a friend from his home in La Grange, Kentucky, "we have put Mr. Goldbug and Republican in Kentucky to sleep forever now." Mr. De Haven is practicing law and we are glad to learn is prospering. He expects to pay his Iron county friends a visit in the course of the next month.

The green-eyed monster got the upper hand of Columbus today, a colored loafer about town, last Saturday night and he proceeded to give his "steady," Daddie Whitener, a damsel of dusky hue, a good thrashing. Daddie made complaint to the officers the following day and Columbus was taken in custody. He had a trial before Squire Fairchild Monday and was given a jail sentence of twenty-one days.

The entertainment given for the benefit of the M. E. church at the Academy of Music on Friday night of last week was well attended and produced a very successful affair. The programme was happily selected and exceptionally well rendered. Mrs. J. H. Jones, who had charge of the entertainment, has been universally complimented and praised on the success attending her efforts. The gross receipts were about \$50.

Miss Rose Jones of Arcadia has returned from a visit of several weeks in Malden, Mo. While in Malden, we learn from the Dunkin News that Miss Rose took prominent part in an entertainment of the South-eastern Missouri Medical Association in session in that town. A solo rendered by Miss Jones, "Won't You be My Little Girl?" seems to have been an especially happy hit, and the young lady won the highest praise from the large and critical audience in attendance. It was universally declared one of the most popular features of a very pleasing programme.

No one can appreciate more than I do the kindness and good-will that was expressed by the people of Ironton and community in my behalf. I shall ever feel grateful to the young ladies, young gentlemen, and all others, for the acquaintance that they took in making the exercises of the evening both interesting and instructive. Especially do I appreciate the earnest efforts of Mrs. J. H. Jones, for the careful and systematic training so manifest in every department of God be yours!

G. W. KING,
Pastor M. E. Church.

The following, relative to the Arcadia Valley rifle range, is taken from Tuesday's *Globe-Democrat*: "It is expected that Assistant Secretary of War G. D. Meiklejohn and party will arrive in St. Louis within a few days. Before leaving this city several weeks ago the assistant secretary inspected Jefferson Barracks and made a most favorable report on it as a cavalry post. On the return trip from the South the Arcadia rifle range will be inspected with a view to recommending its purchase by the government. Yesterday the party was at San Antonio, Tex., and a dispatch from that city says: " * * * Before reaching St. Louis Secretary Meiklejohn will have one of the most important duties to perform, the inspection of the Arcadia rifle range, situated about ninety miles from that city, which the government is contemplating purchasing. The transaction hinges largely on whether or not the Assistant Secretary of War reports favorably on the advisability of the purchase. The land is now used as a rifle range by the troops at Jefferson Barracks."

F. W. Prentice, of Bay City, Michigan, arrived in Ironton on Monday last week looking for a location for a screen door and sash factory. The gentleman seemed to be very well pleased with the surroundings here and says the Valley affords an admirable location for his business. He contracted for the purchase of the Woolen Mill property, and it is understood the deed is now in the bank to be turned over as soon as the purchase money arrives, which Mr. Prentice says will be in a few days. He says that his factory will, from the start, employ between twenty and thirty hands, and that the force will be increased right along. The factory is at present located in Michigan, but a move has to be made on account of the scarcity of timber in that country. He claims to have been offered a bonus of \$3,000 to locate in Poplar Bluff, but says that he is afraid the men from the north would suffer from malaria in the Butler swamps. It is understood that the railroad officials sent Mr. P. to this place as being the most desirable point on the line for the location of his factory. He went to De Soto and St. Louis Monday. It is understood to see about switch facilities, freight rates, etc. The REGISTER hopes the factory may locate here and prove a genuine success. Such institutions will cause our town to grow and prosper more than anything else.

Below is given a list of the committees and prizes to be awarded successful contestants at the Bazaar and Fair to be given at the Academy of Music, December 9th, for the benefit of the Episcopal church:

Ladies Committee—Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Shelby, Mrs. T. Newman, Mrs. Gross and Mrs. Watkins. Articles to be competed for in this department with prizes are—best loaf home-made bread—silver crumb-brush and tray. Best pound of butter—oak rocking chair. Layer cake—handsome fan. Loaf cake—individual tea-set. 1 quart chicken salad—sofa pillow. 1 glass jelly—half dozen cut glass dishes. Noonday and evening lunch.

Baby Picture Gallery—Miss Leah O'Brien, Miss Belle Whitworth and Mrs. Geo. Gay. Pictures of the children and the grown people of the Valley, taken at any time from infancy up to ten years of age. The person recognizing the largest number of the photographs will receive a prize of a glass and silver ink-stand or a framed picture.

Auction of Souvenirs—Mrs. O'Brien and Mr. Melchior. Auctioneer, Mr. Talbot. *Fish Pond*—Mrs. Roehy, Miss Mamie Byers, Irene Goulding, Meda Baldwin, Clara Hill and Maude Welch.

Confectiory—Mrs. Kendall, Miss Fairchild, Miss Andrews and Miss Myers. *Hot Breads*—Mrs. Kemp, Miss Bradley, Mrs. Davis and Miss Haller. Prize of cut glass rose bowl to be given for the best dressed doll. Doll to be furnished by the church. Prize for best assortment of winter hats for dolls—half dozen after dinner coffee cups.

Booth for Knitting and Crochet—Mrs. T. Beard and Miss Ada Byers. *Embroidery*—Mrs. Kellano and Miss Hattie Davis. Prize for best embroidery—pair silver embroidery scissors. To those who have handsome pieces and do not wish to donate, competition will be open by paying an entrance fee of 25c.

Sewing—Mrs. Ringo and Miss May Bradley. Prize for plain hand sewing, children under twelve—a kitchen apron—Doll house. Lady's prize for plain sewing—embroidered centerpiece. Boy selling largest number of lunch tickets will receive \$1.00. The boy who is assisted in soliciting—by parents or friends—will be debared.

Parties desiring to compete for prizes will at once notify the committee in charge of the departments in which they expect to make entries. All articles entered in competition become the property of the fair. Prizes will be placed on display later. Style, neatness and quality will be considered in awarding the prizes. Competition open to everyone in the community.

Miss Adele Lopez, daughter of Mrs. Teresa Lopez, and Mr. Henry Steyer, of Centerville, were married last evening at 7 o'clock at the Church of the Holy, Rev. F. W. Hosmer officiating. Tasteful, but not elaborate, arrangements of white chrysanthemums and palms filled the church, and the bridal party presented a pretty sight as the members of it were grouped at the altar. There were eight ushers: Mr. William Louis Moo, Mr. Harry Proffrock, Mr. Robert Burns, Mr. Ben Pickel, Mr. Oscar Burg, Mr. Will Denver, Mr. Charles Kirober, Mr. James P. Birge served as best man, and Messrs. Fred Krissman and George Lopez as groomsmen. Miss Adele Proffrock was the maid of honor, and Miss Ella Beers and Miss Pauline Gehner, the two bridesmaids. The bride, who is petite and brunette, wore a French gown of white satin duchesse, lined with rose pink taffeta, the skirt ruffled with tulle and a long court train. The draped bodice was ornamented with pearls and a fall of duchesse lace over the shoulders. The sleeves were artistically fashioned of innumerable tiny folds of the satin. A tulle veil caught light to the hair with sprays of lilies of the valley and a large round bouquet of the same fragrant flower completed her toilet. Miss Proffrock wore pale green taffeta, décolleté, with white mousseline shirtings on the bodice and carried a shower of white carnations and maidenhair fern. The two bridesmaids were frocked in pink. Miss Beers' gown being taffeta, the skirt made with a demi-train, and the décolleté bodice of puffed white mousseline, while the long, unlined sleeves were of the same soft material, embroidered in pink sprays. Miss Gehner's frock was

similar. Both maids carried showers of pink carnations with maidenhair. Mrs. Lopez wore a handsome toilet of black peau de soie with duchesse lace and diamonds. The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Adolph Lopez. After the ceremony the guests drove to the Lopez home in Westminister place, which was decorated with pink and white roses, chrysanthemums and carnations, festoons of smilax, studded with blossoms, arranged in the parlors and in the dining-room, from the chandeliers to the room corners. After the reception the bride and groom drove immediately to their own home, 4921 Terry avenue, which has been fitted and furnished for them by Mrs. Lopez. Some guests who were in attendance upon this wedding from out of town were: Mrs. Langdon Jones of Kennett, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Street of Chicago.—*St. Louis Republic*. The REGISTER takes pleasure in voicing its congratulations to the young people just entered upon the most serious as well as the happiest period of life. May everything good be given unto them.

The heirs of the late Socrates Newman are still ailing the family troubles in the St. Louis circuit court. A few weeks ago Elsie W. Newman filed a suit for divorce, making all sorts of charges against her husband, Wm. A. Newman. Last Tuesday the husband filed a cross-bill, in which he intimates that Mrs. N. has not at all times proven an angel. Wednesday's *Globe-Democrat* says: "William A. Newman filed an answer and cross-bill yesterday. The divorce suit instituted against him a few weeks ago by his wife, Elsie W. Newman. Mr. Newman contends that he is the injured and innocent party. He takes exceptions to the petition with respect to the number of children that were born to them, saying that they number five instead of four, and gives the name and age of each. He admits that several years ago he gambled and bet on horse races, but claims that he did not do so to excess. He says that the plaintiff accompanied him to the race course, and was aware of the fact, and that she freely and fully partook of the profits thereof, but never contributed to the losses. He avers that she never discounted or sold the same, but encouraged the defendant to continue his course. He denies that he threw away any of his property in this way. He says that he was earning a salary of \$4,000 a year, and that his wife encouraged him in extravagant living, expending large sums of money for jewelry and in the keeping of servants and in giving champagne dinners and suppers. He also admits that he drank to excess at times, but declares that the plaintiff drove him to it by her unwifely conduct, as she compelled him for five years to occupy separate sleeping apartments. He says that for years his wife has insisted upon preparing their daughter Josephine for a career on the stage, against his objections. The defendant denies that he entered into a combination with his father or brother to get possession of the plaintiff's property, but says that the property was sold to the defendant's father, Socrates Newman, for \$12,000, and that the money was expended by the plaintiff in pursuit of her extravagant habits. The defendant denies that he has failed to support the plaintiff and her children or that they were dependent on the defendant's mother. He enters a denial to her charges that he at various times threatened to kill her or that he choked her. He says that, although on several occasions he became exasperated by her conduct and resorted to stimulants and intoxicants in consequence, he has not partaken of intoxicants of any description since September 30 last, is now entirely sober and industrious and intends to remain so; also, that he is able and willing to support and educate the children. He asks for a divorce from the plaintiff and the custody of the children."

Last Thursday, Y. V. O'Bannon, a farmer who lives about fifteen south of here, drove into town having with him an individual who gave the name of Emanuel Roque. In the wagon with them was a very singularly constructed vehicle. Roque called it a tricycle and said that it was of his own manufacture. There were two large wheels in the rear about the size and make generally used on a light buggy; the front wheel was something like two feet in diameter. The other parts of the vehicle were in keeping with the wheels and the mechanism as a whole presented a sight, uncouth in the primitive and clumsy. It was provided with pedals and handle-bars like the railroad velocipede and both were used in propelling the vehicle. The connecting bars were of heavy and unfinished timbers, and the bolts and screws that held the several parts together were heavy and rusty. The rear hind wheels were of immaculate white, but beyond this, the wheel bore no evidence of the painter's art—the natural wood predominating save where dust and smut had covered and wiped out the original grain. It was verily a tricycle, bicycle, velocipede or whatever the name of which one is not apt soon to see again. Roque is apparently a man sixty years of age, and his arms and feet are badly crippled from rheumatism. He stated that he was making the trip from Hot Springs to New York on the wheel which he had constructed before leaving the Springs. He reached Mr. O'Bannon's farm the evening before, completely exhausted, and unable to proceed farther. Being without means he came to Ironton to seek assistance from the county. The old gentleman declared that he had made the entire journey from Hot Springs to where he stopped at Mr. O'Bannon's, the night before, on his tricycle. This hardly seems credible for the distance is over three hundred miles, and the road is generally a rough and ragged one, winding through bill and dale, now traversing the rocky mountain top and then plunging through the mud and mire of the swamp; and, as stated, the vehicle is very clumsily and heavily constructed, requiring, it would seem, all the energy and strength of an able-bodied man to move it, even at very slow speed, along a level and smooth piece of road, while climbing a rough hill would be nothing less than an impossibility. But the old man insisted he had made the trip this far, unaided and alone, and ridden all this distance on his wheel. Incredible and impos-

sible as his story seemed there was no one could dispute him, and his evident sincerity carried conviction that he was telling the truth. He was very proud of the creation of his handiwork, and pointed out, what he termed its many excellencies with evident pride and satisfaction. He was furnished with a ticket to some point up the road and left on the train that day. He insisted on having the wheel checked and was greatly disappointed when informed that it was far too heavy and out of proportion in every way to be included in that class of baggage. He gave orders, however, to have it immediately follow him by freight, and the last heard of the old gentleman, he was still waiting at De Soto for the arrival of his highly-prized machine.

Personal.

A. D. Boss of Bismarck was in town last week.

A. Damman of Bellevue was in Ironton Friday.

Geo. W. Clarkson of Bismarck was in Ironton Tuesday.

Chas. Madlinger paid a visit to Farmington Tuesday.

Judge Russell is visiting the family of B. Fox in Lesterville.

Mrs. John Blemel paid a visit to Annapolis the first of the week.

S. A. Orr of Marble Creek was a caller at this office last Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Fletcher and Miss Nannie Ringo visited St. Louis last week.

R. W. Shapleigh and family returned to St. Louis Sunday for the winter.

S. W. Andrews and wife spent a couple of days of last week in St. Louis.

J. Lopez attended his sister's wedding in St. Louis the first of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Hall, of St. Louis, visited friends in the Valley the first of the week.

Rev. G. H. Duty returned home Wednesday after an absence of three weeks.

Harney Frauenthal, wife and children, of St. Louis, visited relatives here Sunday.

J. E. Vance, formerly in the post-office here, is now keeping books for a firm in Flat River.

A. J. Zwart was here from Farmington Tuesday. He expects to leave for Mexico in a few days.

Theodore Farrar left Tuesday for his home in Shannon county after spending several weeks with relatives in the Valley.

Chas. Fox is now acting as agent for a railroad at Clayville on the Mississippi river not far from St. Mary's.

R. T. White, formerly a resident here, but now in the lumber business in Maudaud, with his family visited relatives in Ironton several days last week.

H. A. Muse, an old Iron county boy, now living in St. Louis, paid the REGISTER office a pleasant call last Friday.

Mr. M. has been visiting Bellevue friends.

J. H. Jones accompanied Congressman Robb to Centerville last Thursday. They returned to Ironton Friday evening and Mr. Robb left for the western part of the district that night.

W. A. Paul and daughter, Miss Myrtle, of Bismarck, were in town Tuesday.

Mr. P.'s younger daughter is quite sick with pneumonia. The many friends of the family in the Valley hope to hear of her early recovery.

To the Patrons of Ironton Public Schools.

On the 26th, of November the citizens, pupils and teachers of Ironton will give a Musical and Literary Entertainment in the Academy of Music for the benefit of the Public School Library.

A good library will help the work of the school very much. It cannot be sustained without the support of the patrons. Please give us a helping hand in making this entertainment a roving success.

We desire to develop in your children a power to grasp worthy, useful, beautiful thoughts from books. If we succeed, have we not accomplished a great work? They need to cultivate a taste for the beauty in good books and the nobleness in great characters; they need to create a desire to read good books. This desire will soon develop into a habit. This habit will last (likely) forever. After this desire is created, the pupil is in a good condition to receive knowledge from any source. If they are taught the proper use of reference books, and to make them their constant companions in the preparation of their lessons, they will acquire a habit of thoroughness not only in their studies, but in their reading, thus opening new and inviting avenues to knowledge. Every child has the power to think and imagine. Shall they be dwarfed and go downward just as surely as a field without cultivation will produce weeds? There is no better material for thought and imagination than a good book. The great object of school training is to implant in the youthful mind the germs of a liberal self-culture. This can be done only by giving children reading to good books. If the homes do not furnish the required food for the child's intellectual growth, the schools should. After all, self-education is the only education. What a child gets at school is only a stimulus, a guide, the text books and a desire to the work that is to follow. Progress by a pupil, after he leaves school, must be made from much reading of books.

Very respectfully,
ROBERT E. WILKINSON.

Clones News.

Ed. Register—In consequence of the copious showers of rain, which have recently fallen over this locality many of our farmers are busily engaged sowing wheat. It appears to be somewhat late for sowing wheat; but, with an open winter, it may do fairly well. Up to date the weather has been somewhat singular; in fact, it very much resembles September rather than November weather. The leaves, in many places, are yet green, and the chirp of the birds may be heard everywhere. Glorious Southeast Missouri! For health and climate, California surpasses her but little, if any.

Born—Not long ago, to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Eaton, Edge Hill, a fine boy. Joe has yet his characteristic smile, of course, and who could blame him?

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WHITWORTH SONS.

Annapolis.

Ed. Register—Mrs. John Blemel and Miss Trauernicht, of Ironton, were in Annapolis Monday.

Mrs. D. A. Johnson is said to be very ill.

Mrs. Gus Funk and Mrs. E. P. Benson, who were reported sick in our last, were glad to say are much improved in health.

Josiah Reed is now chief clerk in Funk's store.

Wm. Towl has left us.

Prof. Sizemore went to Piedmont Friday and thence to Hogan Saturday.

An albino of the African race and the feminine gender was said to have been on exhibition here one night last week.

Rev. Cumber and wife, of Doe Run, will be here Wednesday to begin a series of meetings.

Nov. 16, 97. CRUX.

STRAYED—From my farm, six miles southeast of Ironton, about the 1st of August, last, Five Head of Cattle—four Two-Year-Olds and one Yearling. Marked with crop off right ear and split in the left. Two steers are solid red; one brown spotted. The heifer is red with white under belly, and white spot in forehead. Dehorned. The yearling is pale red, not dehorned. Will pay for information leading to their recovery.

LUDWIG REICHERT.

Hogan Items.

Rainy weather now has come.

Mrs. Shurrels, of Tom Sauk, is on a visit to her son Wesley.

Mrs. F. C. Wallace, of Bismarck, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Gibbons.

We had a good singing Sunday night. Miss Lizzie Sutton is staying at Mrs. McLarin's.

Miss Minnie Gibbons, of Hogan, and Miss Della Reed, of Jordan, visited friends in Sabula Saturday and Sunday.

Big Creek school is going on nicely. A. C. Gibbons has improved his place with a new fire place.

Mr. Henry Whitehead was the guest of Miss Nellie Conley Sunday.

G. W. Swearingim's baby died Tuesday.

We had a nice spelling match Friday night. All enjoyed themselves. Mr. Sumpter, of Glover, and a few of his pupils were there.

Mr. Henry Whitworth was seen in Hogan Sunday.

Nov. 16, '97. UNCLE JIM.

The three-year-old boy of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of Croup. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros. of that place; and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures of croup. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Very respectfully,
ROBERT E. WILKINSON.

"From a child I was fond of reading good books."—Benj. Franklin.

"A home without books is like a room without windows."—Ibid.

"Books are the windows through which the soul looks out."—H. W. Beecher.

"The only true equalizers in the world are books."—Dr. Langford.

"Some books are to be tested, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested."—Shakespeare.

"Books, we know, are the world, both pure and good; Round which, with tendrils strong as flesh and blood, Our past time and our happiness can grow."—Wordsworth.

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terfield, of West Fork, to Miss Lucy Volner, daughter of Judge Volner, Clones. We wish them a long life, replete with success and happiness.

Judge Volner and H. Latham have been weather-boarding and otherwise improving their dwelling houses, which adds much to the general appearance and comfort of said houses.

Notwithstanding it is said that times are very remarkably hard, there has been much more improvement in this locality than for several previous years.

C. W. H. Eaton, Goodland, and Thomas Gallaher, Edge Hill, have been building themselves nice dwelling houses, which, when completed, will be quite an ornament to the West End. Next!

Not long ago, Mrs. J. M. and Houston Latham made a trip to Ironton.

At the close of the protracted series of meetings at this point the following named persons joined the church: Yancy Shipp, James Goggin, Misses Vada Volner and Amy Stutz.

Giles McMahon came down from St. Louis Saturday last, and made a business trip to Ironton on Monday following.

Judge Volner went to Centerville Monday last.

Mr. Broadwell, Ironton, was in this locality on Saturday last, working in the interest of the *Republican*. He failed to call on the writer, but I heard of him, notwithstanding.

Nov. 11, 1897. P.

How to Cure Bilious Colic.

I suffered for weeks with colic and pains in my stomach caused by biliousness and had to take medicine all the while until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured me. I have since recommended it to a good many people. Mrs. F. BUTLER, Fairhaven, Conn. Persons who are subject to bilious colic can ward off the attack by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms appear. Sold by Arcadia Valley Drug Co.

Obituary.

Died—At his home in Madison county, October 23d, 1897, at 3 A. M., with typhoid fever, Willie, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Tesrow, aged 10 years 9 months and 3 days. Our loved one is not lost but gone before to Him who doeth all things for the best. Little Willie was not with us but a short time till God called him away. He has fallen asleep in Jesus, "that blessed sleep, from which none ever awakes to weep," but we thank God that our loss is his gain, and that we sorrow not as those who have no hope.

Approved November 9th, 1897.

WM. R. EDGAR, MAYOR.

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